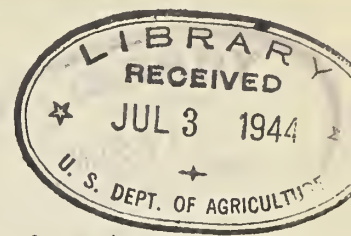


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The high grades of cotton, Strict Middling and above, are represented in smaller proportions in the 1936 crop for most States in the Southeast than were the proportions for these grades in the 1935 crop, according to information revealed in weekly grade and staple reports issued by the Atlanta office of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

Among the States for which reports are issued by the Atlanta office, Georgia, Alabama, North Carolina, and Virginia, have smaller proportions for Strict Middling and higher grades this season, while South Carolina and Florida have larger proportions for these grades than last year. The proportion for Strict Middling and above for this season to date as shown in current weekly reports is 27 percent for Georgia, 26 percent for Alabama, 24 percent for Florida, 30 percent for South Carolina, 22 percent for North Carolina, and 9 percent for Virginia. To corresponding date last year the equivalent of Strict Middling and higher grades was reported in the following proportions (approximately) for States in the Southeast: Georgia 31 percent, Alabama 37 percent, Florida 9 percent, South Carolina 19 percent, North Carolina 28 percent, and Virginia 13 percent.

